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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Galen C. Hunt

Application No. 09/197,080

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For: NETWORK-INDEPENDENT PROFILING
OF APPLICATIONS FOR AUTOMATIC
PARTITIONING AND DISTRIBUTION IN
A DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING
ENVIRONMENT (AS AMENDED)

Examiner: Harsh Patel

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AMENDMENT

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.